COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INQUIRY INTO UNIVERSAL SERVICE AND FUNDING ISSUES

**ADMINISTRATIVE** 

CASE NO. 360

ORDER

On December 10, 1999, the Commission deferred the implementation of a

Kentucky intrastate high-cost universal service fund (USF) pending further order of the

Commission. The record in this proceeding is now almost three years old and thus very

stale. Given the changes to the regulatory climate in the telecommunications industry,

the Commission finds that further action in this proceeding is unwarranted at this time.

Accordingly, this case shall be dismissed from the Commission's docket. Should

any person believe that the Commission should undertake the establishment of an

instate high-cost USF, then that person shall petition this Commission and such

information shall be considered at that time.

BE IT SO ORDERED.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2002.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director